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*Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement
and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.*

1. Name and address of registrant Manatt, Phelps and Phillips 1200 New Hampshire Ave., NW, Suite 200 Washington, D.C. 20036	2. Registration No. 3736
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3. Name of foreign principal Government of Costa Rica	4. Principal address of foreign principal 2114 S Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20008
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5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following type:

☒ Foreign government

☐ Foreign political party

☐ Foreign or ☐ domestic organization: If either, check one of the following:

☐ Partnership

☐ Committee

☐ Corporation

☐ Voluntary group

☐ Association

☐ Other (specify) _____

☐ Individual—State his nationality _____

6. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant. No particular branch or agency

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.

The Honorable Gonzalo J. Facio, Ambassador

7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:

a) Principal address

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.

c) Principal aim

8. If the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party,

a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal

b) Is this foreign principal

Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Subsidized in whole by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is needed, a full insert page may be used.)

10. If the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party or other foreign principal, state who owns and controls it.

Date of Exhibit A

10/29/93

Name and Title

Robert J. Kabel, Attorney

Signature



INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This form shall be filed in triplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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Name of Registrant	Name of Foreign Principal
Manatt, Phelps, and Phillips	Government of Costa Rica

Check Appropriate Boxes:

- ☒ The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach three copies of the contract to this exhibit.
- ☐ There is no formal written contract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach three copies of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
- ☐ The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and the expenses, if any, to be received.

4. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

Manatt, Phelps, and Phillips will represent this foreign principal on matters involving its Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) status before the GSP Subcommittee and any other appropriate entity.

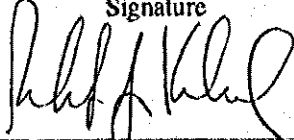
5. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal.

The registrant will research and prepare appropriate briefs and will represent the foreign principal in hearings and before appropriate Administration officials.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?¹
Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose.

The representation of the foreign principal before the Legislative and Executive Branches will include meetings with Members of Congress and their staffs, members of the Administration, as well as the dissemination of political propaganda, as defined under this act.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
10/29/93	Robert J. Kabel, Attorney	

¹Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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The Honorable Gonzalo J. Facio
Ambassador of Costa Rica
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

This letter describes the terms and conditions of our relationship as lawyer and client. Manatt, Phelps & Phillips (the "Firm") will represent Costa Rica ("Client") in connection with Client's GSP status before the GSP Subcommittee and any other appropriate entity. If this agreement is acceptable to you, please sign and return one original to me. The other original is for your files.

1. Costa Rica agrees to compensate the Firm for all matters undertaken for Client. Our fees for legal services are based primarily on the hourly rates in effect for each lawyer and legal assistant in our firm at the time the services are rendered. As is our standard practice, the firm requires an advance retainer of \$10,000 against which fees will be billed. (Should the GSP Subcommittee dismiss the petition filed by the AFL-CIO, without any extensions of time (e.g., 30 days), client will be charged only for actual time expended and the retainer will be waived.)

2. Client agrees to pay all costs associated with our legal representation including, but not limited to, filing fees, long distance telephone calls, document reproduction, fax transmissions, investigations, consultant fees (including any services rendered in connection with this matter by the firm of Heller, Rosenblatt & Scheman), and travel expenses.

3. We will bill you monthly for fees and costs. Our bills itemize the services performed by date, time required, and the lawyer or legal assistant performing the services. Payment is due within ten (10) days of your receipt of bill.

4. At your request, we include an estimate of the fees and costs likely to be incurred in connection with the legal services we will provide. If our representation during an extension period is successful and there is no need to represent

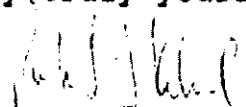
Costa Rica further, we estimate fees in the range of \$10,000 to \$25,000. In the event that this matter cannot be resolved within the extension period, we will then need to advise you further about the likely level of effort which will be needed and an estimate of the costs to be associated with it. You have acknowledged your understanding that this estimate is not a fixed fee and does not constitute a commitment by us to perform the described services for that amount or an obligation by you to pay that amount. The actual fees and costs may be more or less than any estimate, and you will be charged on the hourly basis described in this letter without regard to such an estimate. It should be also noted that fees and costs incurred in connection with our representation of you are not contingent upon the successful completion of any project.

5. In the event that a dispute should arise between Client and the firm concerning our fees and expenses, all aspects of any such dispute shall be submitted to binding arbitration pursuant to the Attorney Client Arbitration Board ("ACAB") established by the District of Columbia Bar. The prevailing party in such arbitration shall be entitled to recover from the losing party an amount equal to the reasonable value of the attorney services (including Manatt, Phelps & Phillips' own time) and costs, and the arbitrators shall be authorized to enter such an award in favor of the prevailing party. The value of attorneys' reasonable services shall be calculated on the basis of the attorneys' prevailing hourly rates at the time of the arbitration. Manatt, Phelps & Phillips encourages Client to contact the ACAB for a copy of the ACAB rules at (202)331-3883, extension 223 and for counselling and other information pertaining to the process prior to executing this agreement.

We will appreciate your executing and returning the enclosed copy of this agreement with the required retainer at your earliest opportunity.

We appreciate this opportunity to be of service to you.

Very truly yours,


Robert J. Kabel
Manatt, Phelps & Phillips

AGREED:

AMBASSADOR OF COSTA RICA

